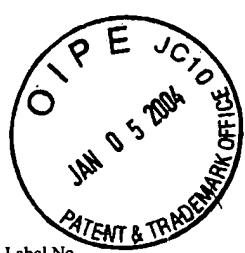


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Application No. 10/644,576	Filing Date August 20, 2003	Examiner Not Yet Assigned	Art Unit 1614	
Applicant(s): Connie Sanchez, et al.				
Invention: THE USE OF ENANTIOMERIC PURE ESCITALOPRAM				
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MS Non-Fee Amendment
Hon. Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.